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POINTS OF THIS MORNING'S NEWS

—IN—

The Times.

TODAY'S BULLETIN—DECEMBER 13, 1892

(BY TELEGRAPH.) Two steamers arrive from Hawaii—The people are greatly excited and are preparing to resist the restoration of the Queen.

Blount's statements controverted... Congressional matters—The tariff bill completed, statehood for Utah... Steamship Leader with a load of insane passengers collides with the J. D. Peters, and the vessel is lost... Trial of the Chinese smugglers at Portland... A prominent Anarchist arrested in Paris—Others expelled... Popular subscriptions opened to construct the Phoenix Railroad... The cashier of the Chicago postoffice robbed of funds... Secretary Gresham negotiating a new Chinese treaty... Pugilist Corbett to be arrested... Other important Eastern, foreign and Coast news.

NOTABLE LOCAL OCCURRENCES.

Judge Shaw grants Tessa L. Kelso's application for a writ of mandate—The City Auditor to take an appeal... Short business session of the City Council... The horrible story of the butchery of the boy Neale by Capt. Smith detailed... Ex-Officers Morton and Valencia reinstated by the Police Commissioners... Statistics showing the healthy increase in the building boom... Midwinter Fair notes.

GENERAL.

Plans maturing for the Throop celebration at Pasadena... Young Bowers, the alleged Norwalk burglar, forfeits his bail and skips... Arrival of the new cruiser Olympia at Santa Barbara... Meeting of the San Diego District Methodist Episcopal Conference at San Bernardino.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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ANOTHER ONE.

Arrest of a Suspect in Paris.

Incriminating Documents Also Discovered.

The Police Expel Several Hard Citizens.

Vaillant Drew Lots for His Purpose.

Lieut. Hambrough's Murderer on Trial—The Peasants of Partinco Aroused—Hurricane in England—The Pope and the Bible.

By Telegraph to The Times.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—(By Cable and Associated Press.) A man named Sordani was arrested this afternoon in the anteroom of the Palais Bourbon for compounding anarchistic theories in company with another man who escaped. A number of Anarchist documents were found in Sordani's pockets. Several foreign Anarchists were expelled from France today.

While Vaillant was in America he mixed with an Anarchist named Graillat, afterward lynched there. Vaillant last week visited Abbe Le-maire, who was among the Anarchists injured by the explosion of Vaillant's bomb. The Abbe took Vaillant's name and address, and gave him a few francs.

Vaillant almost admits that he drew lots with other Anarchists to decide who should undertake the murderous work. Ten Anarchists were with him in the gallery. They are in custody. All have spent a portion of their lives in England, showing the Anarchists are affiliated together, and are eventually to be found to be subsidized by patrons who have been generally regarded as apostles of less militant doctrines.

THE GERMAN HORDE.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—About 500 Anarchists, including many women, met here yesterday evening. The police took great precautions to prevent disorder. It is not known whether the women who attended were despondent as they fear the Paris outrage will lead to international measures against them.

Today, Hermann and Weisenthal, two speakers at last night's meeting, were arrested and condemned to three months' imprisonment for Anarchist utterances of two months ago.

A LABOR GATHERING.

London's Unemployed Listen to Speech-making at Tower Hill.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—(By Cable and Associated Press.) Thousands of unemployed men gathered today and listened to addresses by James Keir Hardie, a Socialist, member of Parliament; Frank Smith and others. Hardie said he intended to move the adjournment of the Commons so as to call the attention of Parliament to the condition of the unemployed.

Upon the conclusion of the speech-making, the crowd marched to Hyde Park. A number of black and red flags were displayed. The police dispersed the crowd. Hardie later made his motion in the House.

After a brief discussion, Rt. Hon. Henry Fowler, president of the local government board, said the House could not go into committee of the whole on the important question of the unemployed. He added that the local government board was doing its best to deal with the question of relief, and advised the House to wait for the impending report of the Labor Commission. Hardie's motion was eventually rejected, 175 to 33.

THE ARDEAMONT MYSTERY.

A. J. Monson, Who Murdered His Pupil, Lieut. Hambrough, on Trial.

EDINBURGH, Dec. 12.—(By Cable and Associated Press.) The trial of A. J. Monson, father of Lieut. W. D. C. Hambrough, on a charge of murdering his pupil to secure the insurance on his life to a large amount—one company alone having policies on the young man's life to the amount of \$100,000—began here today. It is alleged that Monson had his pupil entirely under his influence, and could induce him to do anything he saw fit.

The case is a noted one. The body of the lieutenant was found in a wood near the Ardeamont House, last August, with a bullet in the head. It has been known as the Ardeamont mystery. The courtroom today was almost filled with newspaper correspondents and artists for newspapers. The prisoner pleaded not guilty, and the court proceeded to impanel a jury.

GUARDS HAVE FLED.

The Populace of Partinco Force Provision Dealers to Lower Prices.

PALERMO, Dec. 12.—(By Cable and Associated Press.) The excitement at Partinco, Sicily, has subsided. The municipal guards have fled, and the populace has forced provision dealers to lower prices. They have also refused to pay octroi duties for three days past. Bands of peasants are scouring the country to prevent the laborers from going to work.

Assets More Than Ample.

ROME, Dec. 12.—The American bankers, Marquay, Hooker & Co., who failed yesterday, have made a statement showing assets amounting to over \$2,500,000 above their liabilities. It is stated that the creditors will lose nothing.

One or the Other.

ROME, Dec. 12.—The Pope's encyclical on bible studies holds that the bible is inspired in whole and in detail,

and that if it seems in certain points to be out of accord with science, this is either due to bad interpretation, or science is mistaken.

IN THE CHANNEL.

The Wind Blows a Hurricane and Several Lives are Lost.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—(By Cable and Associated Press.) A hurricane is reported in the south of England. The Channel mail boat was unable to enter Folkestone harbor, and was obliged to proceed to Dover. A boat in the Plymouth harbor capsized, and four men-of-war's men were drowned. The gale was very severely felt in London.

German Engineers.

BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The German engineers who exhibited at the World's Fair, Chicago, will make a re-exhibition of their productions in Berlin during the spring of 1894.

Gladstone's Valet.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—The body found in the Thames has been identified as that of Gladstone's valet.

[RAILROAD RECORD.]

POPULAR MOVE.

Subscriptions Opened for the Phoenix Line.

Public Enthusiasm to Help the Project—Receiver Trumbull on the Union Pacific Contract With the Rio Grande.

By Telegraph to The Times.

PHOENIX, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) A plan was inaugurated today by several business men in concert with ex-Gov. Murphy of the Santa Fe, Prescott and Phoenix Railroad, to facilitate the construction of the road, and, at the same time, furnish employment for a large number of laboring men of this vicinity.

The plan contemplated is a popular subscription to a fund for grading seventy miles out of Phoenix, at a cost of not more than \$500 per mile, the subscribers to be reimbursed by first mortgage bonds of the company at par. Subscriptions have already been opened and the plan is enthusiastically received.

Under the terms work is to begin January 20 for this end of the line. About three hundred men are now employed on the northern end.

RECEIVER TRUMBULL.

The Union Pacific Contract With the Rio Grande Road.

DENVER, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) Receiver Trumbull, when asked about the continuation of the Union Pacific contract with the Rio Grande, between Pueblo and Trinidad, for trackage arrangements, said he supposed the contract would remain in force, though he could make no positive statement regarding the matter.

It is likely that he will go to Omaha in a few days and discuss the situation with the Union Pacific receivers who are ordered to turn over the department of the Gulf system to him.

The Northwestern's President.

CHARLESTON (S. C.), Dec. 12.—A. F. Ravella, president of the Northwestern Railroad, died today, aged 72 years.

THE TERRITORIES.

Messrs. Dubois and Carr Working to Remove Republican Opposition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) Mr. Dubois of Idaho and Mr. Carr of Wyoming, were in the House a large portion of the time, yesterday afternoon, laboring with members on the Republican side to get them to withdraw their opposition to the admission bills to the Territories. Representative Dingley of Maine made a fight against Utah, and it was with him the Western Senators consulted.

The opposition which Mr. Dingley urged was the secular theory of the supposed dominant party in Utah.

Mr. Dubois said he had led the fight in opposition to the Mormon church in former years, and was perfectly satisfied to have Utah admitted, as the people of that Territory had adopted conditions of civilization in regard to their religion entirely satisfactory to all people. Messrs. Dubois and Carr expect all the Territorial bills will pass at this session.

THE EXPOSITION.

Vice-President Stevenson on the Material Display.

AUGUSTA, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) The event of the day at the exposition was the address of Vice-President Stevenson. He thanked the exposition management for the honor of an invitation to the city and the fair; he spoke of the value of the fair as an object lesson, not only to the people of the State and the South, but to the world, as showing what two decades had done to repair the ravages of war.

He closed by suggesting the advisability of the press calling attention to the advantages of the gold and climate of the South, and the desirability of giving more attention to the cultivation of food products in that section. It is estimated that 30,000 people were on the grounds. Vice-President Stevenson and Secretaries Herbert and Sperry were given a rousing ovation.

A POINTED QUESTION.

Testimony of an Interesting Character in the Meyer Trial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) The Meyer murder trial was continued today, with the cross-examination of Dr. Gillette of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. He told of the inquest on Brandt's body, and of paying the expenses of witnesses to come on to testify against Meyer.

Mrs. Mary Muller testified that she heard Meyer and his wife quarreling a few months after the alleged crime was committed, and Mrs. Meyer asked him if he had not poisoned some one in New York. Meyer made no reply.

A Distillery Burned.

HAMMOND (Ind.), Dec. 12.—The Distillers' Distilling Company's plant was burned this morning. The loss was \$150,000.

GOING AHEAD.

Schedules of Tariff Bill Finished.

Will Probably Be Presented by Saturday.

Senator Cullom and the Election Laws.

Admission of Utah Discussed in the House.

Mr. Hoar's Hawaiian Resolution Laid Over—The Hitt Query Adopted in Committee—Gov. Leveillé and the "Tramps."

By Telegraph to The Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) The schedules of the tariff bill were completed today by the Ways and Means Committee, and a portion of the afternoon was devoted to the administrative features of the bill. Republicans think the bill will not be submitted before Saturday next, while the Democrats expect to submit it by Thursday.

There is no certainty of a caucus of House Democrats on the tariff bill, as some Democrats, most anxious for the changes in the bill, are opposed to a caucus. Among the members who signed a call for a caucus were: Messrs. Morzan, Cockrell, Richardson, Paschal, Champ, Clark of Missouri, Smith of Arkansas, Capehart, Stockdale, Alderson of Washington, Culberson, Hooker, Bell, Cooper, Gorman, Hates, Hutchinson and Stone.

No change was made today in the sugar schedule. The committee changed the malt schedule again, increasing it from 25 to 30 per cent. duty. The duty on cut diamonds has been reduced from 15 per cent. in the first bill, to the present rate of 10 per cent.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) SENATE.—The resolution offered yesterday by Senator Hoar, asking for information as to Hawaii, and the resolution offered by Senator Peffer, yesterday, were entitled to preference in the morning hour, but unanimous consent was given that they should remain on the table and be called up tomorrow.

Senator Cullom fired the first gun in the battle over the repeal of the Federal election laws, and succeeded in drawing a sharp return fire from Senator Hill of New York. Mr. Cullom asked if the mandate of a corrupt judge, like Maynard, should determine the complexion of a legislature which elects a Senator, or the brawn and muscle of a McKane control the election of a representative in Congress, and Congress have no power to protect the integrity of its own membership.

In the course of his remarks, Mr. Cullom attacked the New York machine and Maynard, and was interrupted by a reminder from Senator Hill that the election referred to would not have controlled the New York Senate, and whether or not there was anything criminal in that election was not relevant to the present question. Cullom retorted that the action of Maynard inaugurated the scheme which resulted in changing the character of the Legislature.

Senator Hill desired to inform the Senate and the country that his statement was not a correct one. A further colloquy ensued, Senator Cullom maintaining and Senator Hill denying that the result of the recent election was an indication of the Republican protective policy.

Senator Cullom then went on with his speech, referring to the pulling down of the American flag at Hawaii, which could not have been accomplished by the power of monarchial Europe, but which had been committed by the order of an American President, upon the advice and recommendation of a "newly-baptized Democratic Secretary of State." (Laughter.)

Senator Stewart addressed the Senate in favor of repeal of the Federal election laws, and soon drifted into a discussion of the financial question, and attributed the evils complained of to the gold standard.

The Senate then went into executive session, and at 4 o'clock, adjourned until tomorrow.

Among the petitions presented in the Senate is one by Senator Squire, from the Chamber of Commerce of Seattle, Wash., praying for the establishment of a National Park in that State. Referred to the Public Lands Committee.

HOUSE.—The bill to expedite the settlement of postmasters' accounts passed.

The House Committee on Foreign Affairs has decided to report favorably the Hitt resolution, calling for correspondence on the Hawaiian affairs. It was amended to "include all correspondence during the Harrison administration."

The House began the discussion of the admission of Utah to statehood. The principal point at issue was whether the enabling act should contain a proviso imposing pains and penalties for polygamous marriages, the contention on one hand being that the State should come in on an equal footing with other States unhandicapped by such provisions; on the other hand, that as polygamy had been stamped out by the Federal statutes, it was the admission of the Territory without the proviso practically a part of the enabling act.

Representative Morse of Massachusetts, who introduced the bill, made a vicious

assault on Utah and Mormonism, recalling the outrages of plural marriages; the Mountain Meadow massacre; blood atonement and the revelations of the Endowment house.

Mr. Rawlins of Utah replied to Mr. Morse, and worsted him very badly. He opposed the amendment proposed relative to polygamy as too complex, but expressed willingness to accept a simple amendment prohibiting polygamous marriages forever.

Mr. Harter opposed the bill on the ground that it gave a sparsely-settled Western Territory too much influence in the Senate.

The general impression seemed to be that his real object was to prevent the election of two more free currency Democrats to the Senate. The debate will conclude tomorrow as most Republicans have withdrawn their opposition, and it is expected it will pass by an overwhelming majority.

In the course of his remarks, Mr. Harter referred to the conditions existing in Kansas, where Gov. Leveillé had called "a convention of tramps."

"The population of Kansas will be pretty large," interjected ex-Speaker Reed, "when the new tariff bill goes into effect, if it is to be the home of all the tramps in the country."

Messrs. Simpson of Kansas, Smith of Arizona, and Pence of Colorado, interrupted Mr. Harter to reply to reflections on the West. At the conclusion of Mr. Harter's speech, the House adjourned.

APPOINTMENTS.

Secretary Carlisle Selects a Chinaman—An Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.—(By the

IT WAS HORRIBLE.

Details of the Murder of George Neale.

Struck With a Hatchet and Thrown Overboard.

Written Confessions of Capt. Smith Introduced.

Silberry, the Murdered Boy's Companion, Tells the Whole Story on the Stand of the Cruise of the Lou-Smith's Demander.

When yesterday's session was brought to a close in the United States Circuit Court there were but few, indeed, among the crowd of spectators who filed out who were not thoroughly convinced that George Neale went down to a watery grave on a raw morning of last December after being brutally cut by the master of the sloop Lou with a hatchet.

Neale's last words were: "I die a horrible death," as he sank beneath the waves, stained crimson by the blood that flowed from the deep wounds in his breast and arms. The youth of the victim, the mode adopted by Smith, and other circumstances, made the murder one of the most revolting ever committed in this section of the country.

Smith, with Neale and another boy named Silberry, went off for a trip to the island, near the harbor of San Diego, to gather guano. One morning the rowboat, which had been tied to the stern of the sloop, was missed, and Smith was very angry thereat, thinking that the boys had cut it adrift in order to compel him to return home the quicker. He was obliged to weigh anchor and start for home without getting a cargo, and one morning, in a fit of anger, he struck Neale with a hatchet and threw him overboard. He thought also to kill Silberry, but did not, evidently believing that the latter would corroborate the story that Neale had fallen overboard and been drowned while on watch, when port was made.

When arrested and placed in jail he made several statements, in which the killing was admitted, hence the defense in the case has only the theory of insanity to rely upon to save the captain's neck.

A jury was completed yesterday morning, and the case was proceeded with before Judge Ross. The most important testimony introduced was that furnished by C. U. Silberry, who told in a graphic manner all the events of the voyage of the Lou and the murder of Neale. In response to questions put by the prosecuting attorney he said:

"Capt. Smith engaged me to go on a cruise early in November. We left San Diego on the afternoon of November 10. George Neale and Capt. Smith were the only other persons on board. The tides were not good so we did not make much progress at first. For several days we hung close around the islands outside. We afterward went to White Rock where we were to get a load of guano. Smith seemed delighted with the prospect as the guano was very thick about the rock. He arranged to load up at once rigging a platform for the purpose. George and I went ashore one afternoon for mussels and spent a little time rowing around for pleasure. When we returned we fastened the boat by a few half hitches to the schooner and went to bed. Early next morning I was awakened by Smith, who called to me with an oath and asked me what I let the boat go adrift for. I told him that I did not, but he seemed greatly excited and accused George also of cutting loose the boat.

"I heard nothing until we were off the Coronado Islands. While I was off watch one day I was awakened suddenly by hearing George cry: 'For God's sake, Sam, don't shoot me. I have been a good boy on this trip.' Then again I heard him say, 'For God's sake, Sam, don't shoot; throw me an oar. I am dying a horrible death.' Then I heard a shot and went up and saw Smith standing with his hands in his hands. I asked him what he had shot at and he said only a bird. I asked him if he had hit it; he said no. Soon after he said such words as 'I have near him. Finally he asked me if I had anything to do with cutting the boat adrift. I told him no, and he said he believed me.

"After I had cooked breakfast he asked me to wipe off the bloody fingerprints on the side of the cabin. Finally he asked me how we were going to 'fix' it. I was anxious to save my own life and I told him I would say when I got ashore that the boy was lost overboard and send any inquirer to him. He smiled at this and seemed satisfied. I told him perhaps George had got in to San Diego by being picked up by some boat. He said, 'Well, I hope he has.' He seemed pleased with this thought. After we came into the harbor I got a boat to take me ashore. 'As I went off the Lou Smith said to me: 'Take care of your mother, it is a serious thing to take the law in your own hands, and I am sorry for it now.'"

Cross-examination failed to shake the witness on even the slightest detail, for the memory of the few days he had spent on board the Lou with Smith had been too terrible to be soon forgotten. The fact that Smith had made certain statements amounting really to confessions, while confined in jail, has been referred to. During the forenoon yesterday, Attorney Hunsaker produced the following witness by Smith, and duly witnessed, which he read and had filed in evidence:

"SAN DIEGO, Dec. 6.
"This is to certify that I have done a deed I have always abhorred, and I am becoming physically prostrated at the thought. Oh that my life had ended before I did such a deed. I have requested an opportunity to secure some property to my friends after my just debts are paid, but I have not had an opportunity as yet to do so, and I hope the mob will spare me until I can do so.
SAMUEL C. SMITH."

Under the same date another page was written:
"I understand by the papers that an intense feeling is aroused against me, and as I can perhaps save the shedding of blood in defense of my person I concluded to make a statement of what led me into committing the terrible deed in a moment of frenzy through fear of great personal danger.

"On or about the 10th of last month I sailed on a schooner to the coast of Baja, Cal., in my schooner, named the Lou. I engaged Will Silberry and George Neale, Silberry at \$15 a month and Neale at \$25. I told them I had made the last two voyages in twenty-two days each, and we sailed on those conditions. They had worked for me some, discharging on the prior trip, and knew what weight of packages they had to handle. So we sailed and arrived on the 14th at the place intended, but the surf broke so heavy I went to another island, eight miles distant, and waited about three days. Then it was so we could land, and fill our sacks. We worked for two days, when it got rough again.

"Having nothing to do but to eat and sleep, Neale had been asking me when I thought we would be ready to go. He said that Silberry had expressed a desire to go back several times, but that he did not care himself. I told him that I could not stop more than eight or nine days longer. I had drawn my boat on deck, to call a

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Growers and commission men who make a specialty of superior quality of produce will do well to open correspondence with the hotel or our buyer, who, when necessary, will visit gardens and make contracts in advance.

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small leak. When I had finished George proposed to Silberry that they go after some mussels. I gave my consent, and told them that they could take my rifle or fish lines, or anything that I had that would amuse them. When they came back at supper time, Silberry made the boat fast and left her astern, as I usually did in good weather. I arose at 9 o'clock to see how the weather was, and found everything all right. In the morning the boat was gone. The three half hitches had been cast off.

"I went forward to where Silberry was sleeping, and accused him of casting the boat adrift, and had some words with him. He denied doing it, and said that he would forfeit his wages if it was proven that he did.

"I then commenced to clip my cable and run the way leeward, in hopes of finding it, but was not successful. I again called the boys, and looked both squarely in the eyes. Neale turned his head away, but never spoke a word. I said: 'My God, boys, how can I pay you when you have destroyed the only means I had of doing anything.' I told them that I was an old man, and had a sister to support, and that I wanted to lay up a little for my old age. I broke down, when I realized my situation. I had not enough ballast to go back with. The boys both stood still and said nothing.

"Let any one imagine my position, alone on the high seas, with two young men, who had conspired to, and did turn my only means of securing a cargo loose.

"I said to them: 'Why did you not tell me that you must go home, and I would have taken in some more ballast, and saved my boat?'

"They never made any reply. 'One day, when we were about three days out, both went down forward, where they stayed an hour, and every now and then one of them would poke his head up and glance around, and then lodge down again, as if they did not care to be heard.

"I kept a rock and hatchet to defend myself in case of assault. Sometimes I remained nine hours at the helm, and for many hours I would lie awake in my berth, fearing an attack.

"Here there was another break in the writing, which had evidently been broken off until the following day, for on the 6th had been added:

"I hereby certify that I did not entertain any idea of killing until I considered my own life threatened. I went forward to secure a gun. I found the handle sticking over Silberry's bed. Out on the deck was another, that I saw the day or so before, but could not then find. Silberry said that he did not know how the one I found came there, but it must have been put there by some one near morning. A sudden frenzy seized me, and I snatched the hatchet up and struck George in his berth, and threw him overboard.

"I intended to kill them both, but when I came to my senses, I shrank from the awful deed, knowing by doing so, detection was certain. I look with horror on the horrid act, but will have to submit to my fate.

"Would that death might have overtaken me before I committed the horrible deed.

"SAMUEL C. SMITH."

J. Marion Brooks, Esq., for the defense, devoted the questions to endeavoring to elicit something from the witnesses that might give color to the insanity plea.

Several sea-faring men, friends of the murdered boy's family, and of Silberry's, testified to having made a search for the body, but that they had never found it. One witness thought it most probable that the sharks had eaten it, as they were known to abound in the waters where the boy had been thrown overboard.

Old Capt. Smith seemed yet to hear the dying cry of the lad ringing in his ears, for when Silberry repeated the words yesterday, he almost visibly shuddered and sank lower in the chair beside his attorney, as the story so familiar to him was again lived over in words and imagination. As he says in his confession, so he undoubtedly sincerely does wish, that he had died before the bloody deed was committed.

It is for the twelve men in the jury box to say whether or not life shall be given for life, and the gallows avenge the murder of George Neale.

Semi-tropic Exchange.
The regular weekly meeting of directors of the Semi-tropic Fruit Exchange was held yesterday. There were present H. R. Smith of South Los Angeles, J. C. Shew of Glendale, Silas Brown of Downey, A. Duffell of Rivera, and Dr. Hunt and John Burr of San Fernando.

The regular routine of business was transacted, and reports were made from all the local districts. Each reported favorably, and to the effect that new members are constantly coming in. The districts have ordered their brands, and are getting ready to procure their material.

Regular bills were audited. An extra meeting was held last evening at the exchange rooms, to adopt plans for marketing fruit. Nothing of interest transpired. The organization is getting on a firm basis.

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COURT RECORD.

GRANTED THE WRIT.

Judge Shaw Decides That the City Auditor

Must Record and Number Miss Kelso's Demand.

The Treasurer, However, Not Compelled to Pay It.

The Case to Be Appealed to the Supreme Court—Assault Case Before Judge Smith—General Court Notes.

Judge Shaw yesterday granted the application of Teresa L. Kelso, City Librarian, for a writ of mandate to compel City Auditor Fred H. Teale to compile and record a demand for \$200 on the library fund, for her expenses incurred as a delegate to the Librarians' Congress held at Chicago in June last. The reasons for this decision, as set forth in a lengthy written opinion, are, briefly stated, that the Auditor is not required to answer for, or decide upon the legality of the action of the Board of Library Trustees taken after his objections are overruled, but that he must number and record all demands. The Treasurer alone being required to decide whether or not a demand is lawful before he pays it.

In his opinion Judge Shaw says: "When his (the Auditor's) objections have been made and have been overruled, it must be held that he cannot be allowed to persist in such objections nor to renew them. The effect of overruling an objection is to put an end to it. It cannot again be raised by the party who made it, unless another appeal is provided to a still higher tribunal, which is not the case here. If the Auditor could continue to make the same objection after it is overruled it would follow that he would be the sole and final Judge of the validity and legality of all demands against the city. The intention of the charter is plainly the reverse of this. The action of the board in overruling his objections is final so far as he is concerned. Strength is added to this conclusion by reference to sections 218 and 219. These provide that the Auditor must number and keep a record of all demands and his objections to which have been overruled, but that the Treasurer is required to pay none except lawful demands. No discretion is here given to the Auditor in regard to numbering and recording demands, but that the Treasurer is clearly required to decide whether or not a demand is lawful before he pays it. The difference in the phraseology must have been intentional, and the object clearly was to have a record made of all demands, whether legal or illegal. It was held in the case of Falk vs. Strother (84 Cal. 54) under a law similar to this, that a mandamus should be issued to compel the Auditor to act after his objections had been overruled. Upon the authority of that case the application of the petition should be granted.

"The point is urged that under section 215 no demand can be audited unless it specifies each several item, with the date and amount thereof. "Conceding that this demand is not so itemized, it does not follow, however, that it should be refused. That action is no part of the process of auditing. By the definition of that term given in auditing, the action is completed when the objections of the Auditor are overruled and this action is endorsed and the demand is paid. This demand, therefore, is already audited, and section 215 does not apply. The fact that the board has thus audited a demand which is not properly itemized furnishes no ground for the Auditor to refuse to perform the subsequent duty of numbering and recording it. The Auditor is not required to answer for or decide upon the legality of the action of the board taken after his objections are overruled.

"It may be admitted that if it appeared, either on the merits of the demand, or from the facts alleged in the answer, and proven, that the demand was for a matter as to which the library directors have no jurisdiction, and entirely foreign to the scope of their powers and duties, no writ of mandate would be granted. The law will not interfere to compel an officer to do any act to further the collection of a demand which is clearly and necessarily void and illegal, and will leave such a demand in the position in which it may be found when the interference is asked.

"The action of the board in the case comes within the same rule as the demand, or from the facts alleged in the answer, and proven, that the demand was for a matter as to which the library directors have no jurisdiction, and entirely foreign to the scope of their powers and duties, no writ of mandate would be granted. The law will not interfere to compel an officer to do any act to further the collection of a demand which is clearly and necessarily void and illegal, and will leave such a demand in the position in which it may be found when the interference is asked.

"The responsibility for auditing it rests upon the board and not upon the Auditor. "My conclusion is that the applica-

tion for a writ of mandate should be granted. City Auditor Teale will at once appeal the case to the Supreme Court. CONVICTED OF SIMPLE ASSAULT. Alexander Careza, a handsome and swarthy young Italian fisherman, appeared before Judge Smith and a jury in Department One yesterday, to answer to the charge of having assaulted James Turner with a deadly weapon on November 13 last, at San Pedro.

It was shown for the prosecution that the defendant and his father, Salvador Careza, while out on the fishing grounds in their skiff, became involved in an altercation with Turner, who was close alongside, in his boat, as the result of which they struck him with their oars, and so severely injured him as to cause him to remain in bed for over a week afterwards.

Eye-witnesses of the affair, however, testified that after the Carezas had turned their boat preparatory to casting their nets, Turner steered his skiff alongside, and acted as the aggressor. The defense was, that on November 12, the old Careza had found Turner's skiff adrift in the harbor, and, after towing it ashore, had tied it up at the wharf. Turner, upon learning this, had come to the wharf for his kindness, and nothing more was thought of the matter. Next day, however, Turner steered his skiff alongside of the F. Careza, and accused old Careza of having stolen his skiff on the previous day. Careza indignantly repudiated the charge, and denounced Turner as a liar, whereupon the latter raised his oar, and struck at the old man, who parried the blow in such a manner that the oar fell on the gunwale of the boat, and was broken. Alexander Careza then came to his father's aid, and, by a well-directed blow with his oar, placed Turner horseshoe.

Upon this showing, the jury, after a deliberation of fifteen minutes, found the youth guilty of simple assault only, and the court ordered him to appear for sentence on Monday next.

Salvador Careza, the father of the defendant, was also charged with the same offense, but the jury, upon the testimony of the District Attorney, the case against him was dismissed.

DAMAGES FOR PERSONAL INJURIES. The case of W. H. Gier vs. the Los Angeles Consolidated Electric Railway Company, an action for \$50,000 damages for personal injuries, alleged to have been sustained by reason of the negligence of the defendant corporation, came up for trial before Judge Clark and a jury, in Department Two yesterday.

The plaintiff, who is being represented by Messrs. Murphy and Gottschalk, and the defendant by John D. Pope, Esq.

The jurors selected to try the case were J. G. Carmichael, J. A. de Courcy, P. F. Ebert, B. J. Green, J. H. Hourmille, W. T. Lambie, C. J. Morrison, N. F. Strong, G. Weeks, J. Weber, J. S. White and L. Williams.

From the pleadings it was gathered that on January 28, 1892, plaintiff was employed by defendant as a conductor on car 105 of the University line; that at 11:40 a. m. of said date, while acting in that capacity, and near second, by which cars were transferred from the north to the south track, he was caught between said car and car No. 2, which was standing on the south track, just above the switch, and crushed so severely as to permanently disable him. The accident, he alleges, was entirely due to the carelessness and recklessness of Motorman Dufraim, who at that time had control of car 105.

The defendant, in its answer, enters a general denial to plaintiff's allegations, and avers that the accident was caused by plaintiff's negligence on plaintiff's part, he having signaled to the motorman to proceed, although he was standing in an unsafe position.

Several witnesses to the accident were called on behalf of the plaintiff, and the matter then went over until this morning.

CONDEMNATION SUIT. In Department Four, yesterday, Judge Van Dyke and a jury were occupied with the trial of the condemnation suit brought by the Southern Pacific Company to secure a right-of-way for its proposed double-track line of the track on its Santa Monica branch, over a strip of land belonging to Michael Leahy, who owns 16.93 acres of land, fronting 1100 feet on Alameda street, and 700 feet on Washington street. Leahy claims that the strip of half an acre is sought to condemn, is worth \$4000; that he will be damaged to the extent of \$2000, and that it will cost him \$50 additional to fence his land adjoining said right-of-way, if granted. A number of witnesses were called on behalf of the defendant, to show that the land in question is worth what he demands for it, but the matter was not concluded, and will be taken up again today. J. D. Bicknell, Esq., represents the plaintiff corporation, while the defendant's interests are being cared for by Messrs. Wellborn & Hutton.

FINDINGS FOR PLAINTIFF. Judge Van Dyke yesterday morning rendered his decision in the case of E. E. Peck et al. vs. J. W. Hellman et al., an action to restrain the defendants as directors of the San Pedro Electric Light and Power Company, from disposing of the plant of said corporation, of which plaintiffs are stockholders, in accordance with the following brief opinion:

"The sale and lease of the corpora-

tion property, as shown by the testimony, was unauthorized, and the purchase and lease, Elson, was not a bona fide purchaser or lessee for value. "The directors had the power to dismiss the suit pending against the Southern Electric Light and Power Company in reference to the manner of doing it is conflicting, and does not establish that the dismissal was fraudulent or collusive, therefore part of their action will not be disturbed.

"Findings and judgment will go for the plaintiff in reference to the other branch of the case."

PROBATE BUSINESS. In the Probate Court yesterday, Judge Clark transacted the following business: Estates of Charles Salles and Thomas Alexander, deceased, final account allowed, and distribution ordered; estate of Francisco Palomares, deceased, account of administrator allowed; estates of W. L. Brown, and M. A. Collins, deceased, letters of administration granted as prayed for; estate of F. R. de Oca, deceased, sale of realty, confirmed; estate of Emma Egger, deceased, leave granted to administrator to sell realty; estate, etc., of Honorable B. Marion, deceased, account of Miss A. Bellard, guardian, allowed.

Court Notes. J. A. Moreno has instituted proceedings in the Superior Court to obtain a divorce, upon sundry statutory grounds, from Clara Moreno.

The plaintiff in the case of Matilda S. Bowers vs. N. B. Valin et al. was granted ten days' additional time by Judge Clark yesterday, within which to file an amended complaint therein.

The trial of the case against Joseph Hughes, an ex-policeman, charged with having committed burglary at Stephen Sylvan's lodging-house, on San Fernando street, on August 9 last, was concluded in Department One yesterday morning. The jury returned a verdict of conviction. Hughes was ordered to reappear for sentence on Friday next.

The notorious Kate Bouton, of Police Court fame, made her initial appearance in the Township Court yesterday, upon complaint of Mrs. Catherine Belt, a neighbor, whose peace she disturbed on Monday last, and, upon entering her plea of guilty to said charge, was sent to the County Jail for ten days, in default of the payment of a fine of \$10.

New Suits. Among the documents filed with the County Clerk yesterday were the preliminary papers in the following new cases:

Horatio Marteen vs. Conalda Dubourdieu et al., to enjoin defendants from proceeding further in a civil action against plaintiff until a certain lease has been modified.

Edward Saunders vs. Elizabeth Hayward, executrix, et al., suit to enforce partition of a lot in a subdivision of the Foothill tract.

Today's Calendar. Department One—Judge Smith: Clear.

Department Two—Judge Clark: Estate of Albert Henninghaus, deceased; will.

Estate of J. C. Vickery, deceased; account.

J. M. Witmer et al. vs. I. A. Weld; foreclosure.

W. H. Gier vs. Los Angeles Consolidated Electric Railway Company; on trial.

Department Four—Judge Van Dyke: A. S. Halstead vs. Union Oil Company et al.; accounting.

Edward Saunders vs. Henry Bentley; to set aside deed.

Southern Pacific Company vs. Michael Leahy; on trial.

Department Five—Judge Shaw: Clear.

Department Six—Judge McKinley: James T. Dunn vs. Charles Price et al.; claim and delivery.

H. S. Skind vs. J. C. Cline; on trial.

REMOVAL. Polaski Bros., merchant tailors, have removed to rooms 113, 114 and 115, Stilwell building, Spring and Third streets.

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THE POLICE.

The Regular Weekly Meeting of the Commissioners.

Reinstatement of ex-Sergt. Morton and ex-Officer Valencia—Saloon Licenses Acted Upon—Other Business.

The Police Commission met yesterday. The full board was present except George L. Arnold, the newly-elected commissioner, and that gentleman, after having qualified, walked in when the deliberations of the session were about half concluded.

In response to a petition from H. H. Johnson, a saloon license was issued to him for the place at Alameda and North Main streets, it being explained that the license for the place had been, at the last meeting, revoked, because of a misunderstanding about the same being delinquent.

Commissioner Bradish said there were two of the ten recently appointed who, it appeared, did not have their names on the Great Register. They were James W. Bell and Joseph McDonald. He moved that these two men be discharged from the force, and that ex-Sergt. Morton and ex-Officer Valencia be reinstated.

Maor Rowan objected to this, saying it would not be a proper course to take to have the discharge of two men and the reinstatement of two others included in one motion.

After a moment's discussion it was agreed that the motion should only include the reinstatement of the two men. The vote stood: Yeas, Boshyshehl, Bradish and Rowan—3; nays, Weldon—1.

It was decided that the dismissal should take effect January 1. A motion to reinstate ex-Officers Morton and Valencia, the same to take effect January 1, was then carried by the same vote as that by which Bell and McDonald had been dismissed.

The Chief reported on the petition of Jean Lenert, for a saloon license at No. 255 Ferguson alley. Action on the petition was deferred one week.

On motion of Commissioner Weldon, Frank O. Wilkinson was appointed to serve as the force for four months.

The Chief reported favorably on the application of W. W. Everett, for an appointment as special officer, without pay from the city, and the same was accordingly granted.

The applications referred to the Chief were from Wallace & Gutsch, for transfer of license at No. 255 South Spring street, from Schroeder & Brunswick, Hulett & Arthur, for transfer of license at No. 712 East First street, from E. S. Morton (a communication was received, together with this application, from E. S. Morton, stating that he objected to the transfer on the ground that Hulett & Arthur had not made a proper settlement with him.) Hulett & Arthur, for transfer of license at No. 411 North Main street, from C. Arthur; J. Picinetti & Co., for transfer of license at No. 660 Buena Vista street, from L. de Georges and from M. E. Curran, for a transfer of license at No. 102 South Main street, from W. H. Twohig.

The Chief reported on the application of Thomas Cohn, for a transfer of license at No. 1146 East First street, from Lawrence Schmidt, and action on the matter was deferred one week.

A communication from the City Council called attention to the fact that the city jailers were being employed twelve hours each per day.

Chief Glass said he wished to make a statement in regard to this matter. The jailers, it was true, on duty twelve hours each per day. When their duties in that capacity were done they did not have to attend "school," and they did not have to be out on parade or inspection. They were allowed to go out whenever permission for the same could reasonably be granted. As for the other officers on the force, they were spending a good deal of time outside of their regular duties. Outside of their time for being on regular duty, they were going about the outskirts of the city, and "rounding up" the tramps and suspicious characters, so that, in reality, the regular men were working from ten to twelve hours per day. He was ready to take one of the men from the beats and have him serve as jailer, if the board so desired. He did not wish to be tenacious in reference to keeping only two jailers, but he was inclined to think there were some misapprehension in reference to it.

On motion, the communication from the Council was filed.

A communication from Detective Goodman stated that he had received \$60 as a reward for the capture of J. A. Marshall, a deserter from the United States Army, but had used that amount as expenses on a trip to San Francisco on official business. This action was approved.

A communication from Officer Collins stated that he had, upon request of Officer Maguire, lent his revolver to a friend of the latter. This "friend" (B. A. C. Stephens) had not returned the firearm and Officer Maguire had declined to pay for it. Furthermore, it was understood that the man who had the revolver had left the country. It was ordered that the two officers

be notified to appear at the next meeting of the board. Application from Thomas McCary and W. C. Balch for appointments on the force were placed on file, after which the meeting was adjourned.

TEN MINUTES OF TERROR.

A Tarantula Under His Shirt Was Enough to Scare Even a Texan.

The bite of a tarantula is almost as dangerous or as fatal as that of a rattlesnake, and, without prompt attention, the sufferer dies in an hour or two. It was from one of these creatures that John Thummer of Fredericksburg, Tex., received a fright lately that nearly turned his hair white in ten minutes, says a writer in the Philadelphia Times. Putting on his outer shirt a few mornings ago, he felt something fall from one of his sleeves on to his breast, and through the opening of his undershirt on to his naked flesh. Looking down he saw an enormous spider coiled up, and seemingly half dead from cold. But, getting warm from the heat of his body, it presently began to straighten out its long limbs, covered with coarse, red bristles, and before Thummer could knock it out was plainly its old, aggressive self. Mr. Thummer did not dare seize it with his fingers, lest it fasten on them, so he tried to get it off by any means to dislodge it for fear that it would instantly fix its jaws in his flesh. He called his wife softly, but she was asleep. He dared not lean over to touch her, so he continued to call her, until at last she opened her eyes. Then he told her to get up and take the tongs and remove the creature as quickly as possible, so as not to give it warning of what she was about lest it might bite him.

Mrs. Thummer, from her husband's quiet tone, thought at first that he was jesting, and pulled open the shirt to look for herself, when she saw the tarantula. The creature also saw her, and still clinging to the man's breast, bristled all over with menace. Therefore, getting up without more noise than could be helped, she ran for the tongs and approached the spot where the insect lay. But, as if it divined she was about to seize it, it suddenly ran up to Mr. Thummer's left shoulder and over on his back. Only able to guess at its exact whereabouts, Mrs. Thummer was at first afraid to try and seize it, for fear she would not locate it right, and that it would bury its terrible fangs in her husband. But at last, seeing it move slightly, she made a sudden plunge at it, and, catching it well between the prongs of the tongs, held it firmly, squeezing it as tightly as she could, endeavoring to kill it, or at least render it so that it would not be able to bite. 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ARIZONA NEWS.

Republican Gains of 100 in the City of Tucson.

Yuma Indian Treaty Agreed to—What the Indians Will Get—Accused of the Late Wreck at Lordsburg—Italian Colonists.

Special Correspondence of The Times.

TUCSON, Dec. 11.—Tonight Tucson has gone wild over the result of today's city election. The town has gone solidly Republican, something unprecedented in the history of the Territory. A total of 664 votes was cast. The average Republican majority for the seven offices was 84. J. W. Whalley (Rep.), for Councilman-at-Large, defeated W. P. Woods (Dem.) by a vote of 375 to 290, a majority of 155. There were no factions in either party. The gains for the R. G. P. for this year are about one hundred, the last city election dividing the offices between the two parties.

THE YUMA TREATY.
The treaty with the Yuma Indians has been completed. The treaty has been signed by all Indians over 18 years of age, and now only lacks future action by the government to make it effective. The Yuma reservation is composed of 45,000 acres of land, of which 15,000 can be irrigated by a canal from the Colorado River. The number of Indians is between six and seven hundred. They will each receive 150 acres of land in addition to this, 320 acres, which includes all the buildings on the reservation, will be set aside for school purposes and an experimental farm, the latter to be in charge of a competent instructor. About eleven thousand acres of good land will remain, which will be surveyed into ten-acre tracts and sold to the highest bidder for cash, after being appraised and advertised sixty days. If the 45,000 acres of land in the Yuma Indian reservation are divided up, and ten acres given to each of the 1500 Indians, according to Agent Rust's count, the 35,000 acres left to be sold to the public at \$400 each would give each Indian, including male and female, about \$150 cash.

TRAMPS AS TRAIN-WRECKERS.
The last Arizona correspondence to the Times mentioned the threats of tramps to wreck passenger trains if not permitted to ride. Whatever the cause, the tramps now add to the gang of those who do not prevent blame being put on them of wrecking the train at Lordsburg Friday night. The opinion is freely expressed that the gang of 135 who burned the seventeen tons of coal at Lordsburg, also derailed the train. They being now allowed free transportation, would remove all cause for similar depredations in future.

ITALIAN COLONISTS ARE COMING.
Gov. Hughes returned yesterday from Yuma, where he has been in conference with Yuma county citizens regarding the colonization problem. Yuma county has been selected by the Italian fruit-growers of Palermo, and 15,000 acres of land lying between the Gila and Colorado rivers will be utilized for the purpose. The land is divided up in small tracts of ten or fifteen acres, as the Palermo fruit-growers cultivate a small amount of land, but they do it thoroughly. Members of the colony are now in New York and will start immediately for Arizona. They will make estimates of the land and make general preparations for the colony, which will be here by spring. Father Gambosa, the originator of the settlement, is a Sicilian. No better class of immigrants are now coming into this country than the educated, well-to-do class which Father Gambosa and his associates propose to settle in Arizona. The proposed Italian colony will be made up of an industrious, thrifty class of fruit and grape growers, and will do much toward the opening up and settlement of Arizona.

PERSONAL.
Mrs. Nellie Martin and Miss Eva Keyes, late of Fresno, Cal., were in Yuma Wednesday. Yuma's oranges and delicious oranges, lemons and lemons convinced the ladies that this section ranks with the best fruit-growing portions of the West. James J. Charlton, an eminent attorney of New York, who came to Phoenix a few days ago for his health, is improving rapidly. He is well pleased with the climate. Three additional wagon-loads of Colorado colonists have arrived in Florence. They were met by the city and agriculture. They have been made very welcome there, as are all settlers in this Territory. A special train of four cars, with high officials of the Southern Pacific, passed through east yesterday morning, returning from El Paso last night. They were met by four of the city. The party included Vice-President Charles F. Crocker, President H. E. Huntington, General Manager J. C. Gilmore, General Superintendent J. A. Phillips, Assistant General Superintendent R. H. Pratt, General Manager H. J. Small, and Superintendent of Track C. W. Wallace.

AGRICULTURAL.
The Maricopa County Horticultural Society met at Tempe last Saturday. A paper was read by one of the members, showing in one year a product of over two million pounds of apricots from sixteen acres of orchard, from which, after deducting all necessary expenses, and marketing the fruit at 12 1/2 cents dried, a profit of \$7000 was realized. They now have green peas in Yuma. The Yuma Sentinel says that the oranges and lemons in Yuma's gardens should be left on the trees, as long as they will stay, that the people who pass through here, from the frozen and icy East may just what Yuma's delightful climate can produce. Willis Norton is having forty acres of almonds planted on his farm near Mesa City, and has made a contract with L. C. Bennett of the California Nursery Company to take care of his orchard for four years. There is no country in the world where almonds grow to better perfection than they do here in the Salt River Valley, and the day is near at hand when thousands of pounds will be shipped out every year.

BREVITIES.
A single shipment of between forty and fifty carloads of cattle will be sent from Flagstaff this week. They are from the Verde ranges, and were consigned to Kansas City. Two carloads of live stock are being gathered near Tucson for shipment to Los Angeles Thursday of this week. Last week some Pima Indians got into a fight, and two of them carried each other with knives. While the wounds were severe, they were not fatal. They were arrested and put in the lockup at the Sacaton agency. Phoenix is about to have a pressed brick factory. R. E. Faulkner is the name of the man at the head of the enterprise. He has found near the city a fine deposit of pottery clay, that he pronounces just the thing for either terra cotta or high-grade pressed brick. S. Tedwell of Globe has discovered a fine deposit of turquoise. Even on the surface the gems are of rare beauty. A \$10,000 real estate deal was made at Mesa this week. The Court of Private Land Claims met in Tucson today. They will prob-

ably soon settle vital questions for Arizona. Among the grants is one covering the site of the entire American side. Norales. Much will depend there on a favorable decision by the court.

Phoenix has just been growing again. She has taken in two more additions, eighty acres each, known as Linnville and Montezuma.

Reverend Felix found dead on the railroad track, as told in these columns recently, was killed before falling from the train, according to the Coroner's inquest. He was one of the trailers of Sontag and Evans, and an important business. There is no clue to the murderers.

Reverend Felix was appointed for the Gila Bend Canal, under which many Riverside people own land. As soon as Mr. McMillin gets up his bond of \$200,000 he will go to Gila Bend, and begin work on the canal. Up to sundown last night he had secured enough to qualify in the sum of \$200,000. This is a record for the bondsmen, and he will have to qualify in double the amount of the bond.

Salt Lake parties represented by Frank McMillin, who is in charge of the new driving park near Tucson. It will be one of the finest recreation tracks in the world when completed. The new electric line in Tucson is being enlarged to run two 750-light dynamos.

The orange grove of the Arizona Improvement Company in the Salt River Valley, is a marvel both in point of bearing and growth. Phoenix will be liberally represented at the Midwinter Fair at San Francisco.

The cottonwood trees of Phoenix are being removed, as a pest. E. W. French, deceased Probate Judge of Yavapai county, who was indicted by the grand jury for forgery, embezzlement and cashing fraudulent warrants, was acquitted on one of the charges by a jury the other day. He will be tried on the other charges in a few days. The expert examiner of his records reports forgery since 1890.

One hundred thousand ties are being got out by the mills at Williams, Flagstaff and Davenport, for the Atlantic and Pacific road, which the company are having placed at various points on the line. Of the above number, 30,000 are of California redwood, and will be used exclusively on the section of the road passing over the desert.

A murderer in Graham county, after being captured, was placed on a horse to ride back to Duncan in company with his captors. They had not proceeded far when the horse made a break for his liberty, and being on the steethest horse, succeeded in making his escape. Nicks, of the captors, shot at the fleeing prisoner, and it is believed, wounded him.

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A row of cottages will be erected shortly at Yuma, on Second avenue. Should White Hills continue to improve, the plan is an effort will be made early in the spring to build a telephone line through from Kingman via Mineral Park and Chloride.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY.
Complaint About the Street Lighting—Another Good Indian. With both gas and electric lights it would naturally be inferred that Riverside is a well-lighted city. But such is far from the case. The gaslight is wretchedly poor, and none of it is used for street illumination. The electric lights, too, have been unsatisfactory; the incandescent as well as the arc lamps. Besides the city authorities to provide an efficient number of lights, the total amount of street lamps being but nine. Redlands, with a population of scarcely more than Riverside, has already made for putting in others. San Bernardino, with a population of about 100,000, has a better light system than Riverside. There being ninety-three arc lights in that city. Although there has been no concerted action on the part of the citizens to secure more lights, there is constant complaining of the dark and gloomy streets. Several accidents have resulted recently from the lack of lights.

ANOTHER GOOD INDIAN.
Joe Miguel, an Indian, was found dead in a ditch by the Colton road near this city on Monday. He was last seen about the middle of the afternoon on Sunday riding on a horse toward the ditch, where his body was found. He was undoubtedly intoxicated, as he was known to be in that state much of the time. He had a jackknife in his pockets, but no whisky or bottle. He wore spurs, and from the marks upon the ground his horse was seen to be rearing. He was shot and he struck upon his shoulder and rolled over, burying his face in the soft mud. He has some property in the Colton road, and was picked grapes in Riverside, where he has relatives. He was 70 years old.

WORLD'S AND MIDWINTER FAIRS.
The Loring Opera-house was crowded on Monday night to see the stereoscopic exhibition of the World's Fair and the buildings of the Midwinter Fair, and the excellent views presented were worth an evening's time to enjoy them. Nearly every one has seen so many pictures of the magnificent buildings of the late White City, that they have become more views of the statuary and paintings. The lecture, however, added little to the entertainment. Mrs. Harland's voice is not pleasant, her story is not well prepared, nor did she tell it well, and her attempts were very flat.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.
Prof. McPherson, the new principal of the East Riverside school, has moved with his family to that place from Redlands.

J. D. Miller is quite ill at his East Riverside home. He and family of the Arlington returned on Monday from the East, where they spent the summer and fall. The orange shipment by the Riverside Fruit Exchange now reaches three carloads per day, and the quantity will increase gradually until the capacity of the transportation company to furnish cars and get them out, is reached. Mrs. Hannah Langley of Elsinore, a lady 68 years of age, was on Tuesday committed to the Southern California Asylum for the Insane. She has very peculiar hallucinations respecting interview with spirits, and has been smashing dishes and windows very lately. Mrs. N. Cresde, wife of the founder of Creede, Colo., is in the city with several ladies, guests at the Glenwood.

FRESH LITERATURE.

SHEPP'S WORLD'S FAIR PHOTOGRAPHED. Being a collection of original copyrighted photographs, authorized and permitted by the management of the World's Columbian Exposition. James W. Shepp and Daniel B. Shepp. (Chicago and Philadelphia: Globe Bible Publishing Company.)

Mingled with all the enjoyment of the splendor of the great White City upon the lake, in the hearts of its most appreciative visitors, was the regret that so soon this magnificent architectural achievement and marvel of our nineteenth century civilization must vanish from the world's sight and be among the things that were. But comparatively few of the thousands visiting the World's Fair could linger long enough to take in all its splendor, fix in their memories the wonders of the great Exposition as a whole; and it was with reluctant feet that they turned from it, regretting that so soon it must all become but a dim and shadowy memory.

Anticipating this feeling, the authors of the magnificent work before us have sought to perpetuate in an enduring form the leading features of the World's Fair, the buildings of the State buildings, the buildings of foreign nations, the Court of Honor, exhibits, the warship Illinois, the lagoon, temples, pavilions, gardens, statues, the Midway Plaisance and its scenes, and all that entered into the complete and beautiful whole—all described upon the alternating pages of this book in a beautiful language. It is a book for the millions who saw or only heard of the fair, and it will be an enduring reminder of the great event which the volume commemorates.

RESOURCES AND DEVELOPMENT OF MEXICO. By Hubert Howe Bancroft. (San Francisco: The Bancroft Company.)

Americans at large have not concerned themselves in past years as they should have done with the resources of their sister republic, and a lamentable ignorance has existed in the United States in regard to the people, resources and general conditions of Mexico, the border land of our modern civilization. The well-written and charmingly illustrated work before us deals with the history, the resources of Mexico's history, and places her before the world as she is today. The first chapter is devoted to a general view of the country, its people, population, climate, races, characteristics of its inhabitants, etc., while the succeeding chapters tell the reader of the intellectual development, means of communication, mines and mining, agriculture, stock-raising, manufactures, commerce, material development, labor and immigration. The book is a valuable addition to any library.

ANOTHER JUANITA. and other Stories. By Josephine Clifford. (Buffalo: Charles W. Johnson.) This little volume is characteristically Californian, full of the breezy freshness, bloom and beauty of the Golden State. The author has a gift of being an interesting writer of short stories, and possesses the capacity of giving to them a sense of completeness that is a rare satisfaction to the reader.

This is a tale of tragic interest, and not once does the reader's attention falter. "An Episode of Desolation," although the title is misleading, is a glimpse of what a soldier's life may be amid those wild Western wastes of loneliness, haunted forever by the mysterious Apache. The little volume holds many a picture of life as it is found in the great West, and on the sunny plains and flower-crowned slopes of California.

THE BOOK OF THE FAIR. Parts IV and V. (Chicago and San Francisco: The Bancroft Company.) This great work, being published in semi-monthly parts of about forty pages each. The work will consist of 1000 imperial pages, 12 1/2 inches, and when complete will contain over 2,000 of the most artistic illustrations. It is printed on heavy paper of the highest enameled finish, and will be a finished story of the great Columbian Exposition as it was—the wonder and marvel of the world's civilization. It will not let the great fair die for it will remain an epitome of it all.

Magazines.
The Century Magazine (New York) for December is worthy of the Christmas time. Among its interesting features we note "Old Dutch Masters," Rembrandt, Mrs. Russell Lowell; "Pudd'nhead Wilson," Mark Twain; "The Gentle Side of Two Great Southerners," George W. Cable; "The Story of the Viceroy," H. B. F. Boner. The departments are, as usual, filled with matters of current interest.

McClure's Magazine (New York) for the current month is a number that will at once attract the attention of the intelligent thinker and student of current affairs. Among its features are: "Arch-deacon Farrar," by Arthur Warren; and "Gov. William McKinley," from the pen of Frank B. Gessner. Octave Thanet contributes a Christmas story for the children, "Was it the Good Bear?" Prof. Henry Drummond, always interesting and instructive, writes of "Manliness in Boys—A New Process." The number has something to please all tastes.

The Overland Monthly (San Francisco) does not fall behind other leading magazines in its current number. Among its leading articles we note "The Advertising Age," by W. H. Murray; "Gardens of Christmistle," Ella M. Sexton; "Nettle," Marie Frances Upson; "With Pick and Shovel," Henrietta R. Elliot; "The Voice of Lorraine," Emma Frances Dawson. The poetry of the number has much of variety and interest. One charm of this magazine is that it is distinctly Californian—the atmosphere of the Coast is about it. It promises very handsome things for the coming year. Californians should take pride in its upbuilding.

The Review of Reviews (New York) for December brings one who carefully peruses his pages, and with the world's changes and progress. It is the one magazine which the busy man and woman cannot afford to do without. The current number are: "The Hawaiian Policy," "The Mission of Mr. Willis," "The Future of the Islands," "The Election of Tariff Revision," "Honest Government as a Winning Issue," "The Abandonment of Silver Purchases," "California's Midwinter Excursion," "Record of Current Events," "A Talk to Young Men on Education."

The New Peterson (Philadelphia) for December calls attention to the leading articles which are as follows: "Land of the Liberator," by M. McCarthy O'Leary; "At the Sign of the Bow," by Freeman; "Fannie Astor Matthews," by "Pier" from Thistles; by Lucy Hooper; "Under the Southern Cross," Robert B. Graham; "Helen," M. G. Cleland; "The Latest in the Settlement," Herbert Bashford; "The Old Roman Senate," by J. Howard Gore. Harper's Weekly, Harper's Bazar, and

the always popular Monthly, are full of life of the day. The current numbers are all good, and among the world of juveniles there is no more popular publication than Harner's Young People.

OVERBALANCED.

A Confidant's Postoffice Cashier Roughly Dealt With.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) Cashier A. J. Robinson of the Chicago postoffice, was a victim of a daring robbery tonight. The exact sum of money stole was not made known, but it is believed to be several thousand dollars.

Robinson was alone in his office when a signal "stop" was given by a man who is only given by employees was heard. Opening the door, Robinson was confronted by a stranger, who said: "Does your cash balance?"

"No," said Robinson. "It doesn't." The stranger then said: "Send me your key today for stamps and he was given too many. I've brought them back. This will probably balance your cash."

Robinson extended his hand for the stamps and received a blow on the head with a club, which knocked him senseless. He was unconscious when found, three hours later. The thief left no clue. As he escaped through a window, he dropped money packages containing \$380.

WANTED IT FIXED.

The Wedding Passed Off, But It Wasn't So Quiet.

(Denver Tribune.) "Cap'n, are you the editor of this paper?" The speaker was a tall, raw-boned, middle-aged man, with faded soiled hair, and a hand like a smoked ham. "I am, sir," replied the editor of the Peaville Eagle. "What can I do for you?"

"You had a piece in your paper this week about a marryin' at Hopkins' Run, last Thursday, didn't ye?" "Yes, sir, I believe I did."

"The man was at Peter Crumpet's wasn't it?" "I think it was."

"His oldest girl was married to Clum Harkins—thar's the name, is it?" "That is right."

"You wrote the piece, did ye?" "Of course, I—I wrote it, but—" "That's right there. You wrote it, hey?"

"The facts were given to me by somebody from that neighborhood, and—" "The facts!" howled the raw-boned stranger, bringing his fist down on the table with a bang that jarred the editor in his position. "The facts, facts!" You said the wedding passed off quietly. Who told you it passed off quietly?"

"No, sir!" thundered the man. "I ought to know! I'm the gal's father! Peter Crumpet! The wedding passed off, sir, with the gowhoppin' shivaree ever got up in our neighborhood, and if you don't put it that way next week I'll sue you for libel, I'll come back and break every darned bone in your body!"

The editor of the Peaville Eagle had promised to set the matter right in the next issue, and Mr. Peter Crumpet of Hopkins' Run, turned on his heel and climbed heavily out of the above you notice, I'll come back and break every darned bone in your body!"

Cold Comfort.
(New York Weekly.) Unsuccessful. Sure, Am I so very obnoxious to you?

Miss Freeman. No-o; I can imagine circumstances when I might clasp my arms about you, but—

"Thank heaven! Under what circumstances?" "If I were drowning, and you were near."

A Satisfactory Man.
(New York Weekly.) New Man. Here are some poetic contributions which came in today's mail. I am not up on poetry.

Editor. Good! I don't want to be up on it. I want you to be down on it.

FOR THE MIDWINTER FAIR.
Southern California Produces an Artistic Piece of Work.

At the opening of the Midwinter Fair at San Francisco, an exhibit will be made by Gordon Bros., the leading tailors of Los Angeles. It will be cut and made to fit six different sizes. It will be made to take apart and change into three different styles—a cutaway coat, a Prince Albert style, and a full-dress coat. Gordon Bros., expect to get the medal for the tailors, as they keep three men working exclusively on that coat, in their own working-rooms, at No. 118 South Spring street. They want to show the public that they can make a suit of clothes at Gordon Bros. tailors, can get their full money's worth of wear out of them, as they have the facilities to do so, by carrying constantly on hand a large stock of woolen goods for customers to select from, and in selling at prices that cannot be beaten, as they are direct importers of woolen goods, and they sell goods by the yard to the trade.

DEATH RECORD.
FORRESTER—At La Cresenta, Tuesday morning, at 2 o'clock, Miss Mae R. Forrester.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, at the home of her father, Hon. E. A. Forrester, at No. 847 West Seventh street.

WELL—In this city, December 11, Jette, wife of J. Well, aged 18 years, died of pneumonia. Burial Wednesday, at 2:30 p.m.

ROBERT SHARP, funeral director (independent). No. 535 South Spring street. Telephone 1629.

MORNING'S—Beacham's Pills with a drink of water.

Low is Your Blood?

I had a malignant breaking out on my face and neck, and was cured sound and well with two and half bottles of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I do me any good. WILL C. BEATTY, Yorkville, S. C.

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THE BILLIARDISTS.

(SPORTING RECORD.)

Second Night of the Notable Tourney.

"Dutch" Neal Knocks Out Martin Barnes at Chicago—Racing Events at Frisco, New Orleans and City of Mexico.

By Telegraph to The Times.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Slosson and Schaeffer were the contestants in the second night of the three-cornered billiard tournament. Slosson won in twenty innings; score 599 to 541. Slosson's average was 30; high run, 123 and 96. Schaeffer's average was 28; high run, 127.

SIX MORE RECORDS.

Dinberger and Bliss Learning to Fly at Birmingham.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) A special to the Republic from Birmingham, Ala., says that M. A. Dinberger of Buffalo and J. P. Bliss of Chicago broke six more world's records today. Dinberger made the half-mile, flying start in 1:12 3/5 as against 1:14 1/5; made the three-quarter mile in 1:21 3/5 as against 1:22 4/5, and the mile in 1:31 as against 1:35 2/5.

Bliss made two-thirds of a mile in 1:17, standing start; three-fourths of a mile in 1:26 1/5 as against 1:28 1/5, and the mile in 1:34 4/5 as against 1:38 2/5.

TO ARREST CORBETT.

The Law and Order League of Jacksonville on Its Mallet.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) A special to the Republic from Jacksonville says that it was stated today that a few anti-flight people here have perfected arrangements for having Corbett arrested when he appears here on Thursday. The Law and Order League is very reticent, but it is alleged that a committee has already had the necessary legal papers drawn up, and that they will arrest Corbett when he steps from the train on Thursday morning.

Should the pugilist be arrested, his friends will be read with a writ of habeas corpus. This would get the matter before the courts, which would suit the syndicate, for it is sure of a decision in its favor.

BLOOD HORSE RACES.

Bridal Veil, Forerunner, Vivace, Prize and Lovelaid Win.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—(By the Associated Press.) Five furlongs: Vivace (8 to 1) won; Forerunner (9 to 1) second; Adolph (10 to 1) third; time 1:04. Bill Howard, Lulu Dowell, Stoneman, Hal Fisher, Clara White, Dr. Ross, Kathleen, Oregon and Raindrop also ran.

One mile: Bridal Veil (3 to 1) won; Morton (7 to 1) second; Brownwood (8 to 1) third; time 1:40 1/2. Stromboli, Hotspur, Nellie G., Centella and Crawford ran. Fifteen-sixteenths of a mile: Prize (6 to 1) won; Sympathy (8 to 1) second; Broadhead (4 to 1) third; time 1:29. Zampost, Revolver and James 3:42.

Five-eighths of a mile, maidens, two-year-olds, purse \$600: Lovelaid (4 to 5) won; Matinee (8 to 1) second; Annie (2 to 1) third; time 1:04 1/2. Annie, Soda Cracker, Lewannee and De la Guerra also ran.

Racing at New Orleans.
NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 12.—Six and one-half furlongs: Silverado won, Rouser second, Dud Hughes third; time 1:12.

Five furlongs: Hennerd won, Ethel W. second, Gov. Hill third; time 1:04 1/2. Five and one-half furlongs: Carmen won, Little Ell second, Rally third; time 1:10 1/2.

Five and one-half furlongs: Letta L. won, St. Pancras second, Winnie Davis third; time 1:13 1/2. Fifteen-sixteenths of a mile: Strathmeath won, Wedgfield second, Coronet third; time 1:44 1/2.

The Mexican Races.
MEXICO, Dec. 12.—The races were well attended.

Half a mile: Myrtle Sawyer won, F. Sawyer second, Wisona third; time 0:39 1/2.

Five furlongs: Northwestern won, Peralgal second, Morgan G. third; time 1:05.

Six furlongs: Guadalupe won, Hercules second, Haymarket third; time 1:15.

Six and one-half furlongs: Francis Poe won, Constantine second, Prince Idle third; time 1:26 1/2.

His Dutch Was Up.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Last night, "Dutch" Neal of St. Louis knocked out Martin Barnes of Butte City, Mont., in the fourth round.

Yale's Captain.
NEW HAVEN, Dec. 12.—Francis Hinkler, '95 of Yonawanda, N. Y., has been re-elected captain of Yale varsity football eleven. Next year will be his fourth on the Yale team.

A NEW INVENTION.
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This is an actual fact related by a grocer to our salesman—and it's a common fact; we have it daily. So, you see, when they tell you that some worthless or dangerous washing-powder is "the same as" or "as good as" Pearline,

that's because it pays a larger profit. Too large, altogether, if clerks can be hired on purpose to make people take things they don't want and know nothing of, instead of a tried and proved article like Pearline. If your grocer sends you what you do not order, be honest—send it back.

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PASADENA.

Plans Maturing for the Throop Celebration.

December 21 is the Day—Religious Work—Various Items of Local Interest—Personal—Batch of Brevities.

Pursuant to an adjournment, a meeting of the General Committee having in charge the Throop celebration was held Tuesday morning. The members convened at the Board of Trade rooms, but after adjournment to the Throop court room. Those present: W. E. Wood, chairman; P. M. Green, J. W. Wood, M. E. Wood, J. W. Brown, Theo Coleman, H. H. Rose, G. H. Keyes and E. T. Howe.

J. W. Wood, representing the Program Committee, submitted a partial report, the main features of which were agreed to. It was then referred back to the committee with instructions to perfect the details and report to the General Committee at 10 o'clock this morning.

The principal features of the day will be about as follows: Inspection of the Throop University buildings, from 12 to 2 p.m., with lunch at East Hall for strangers. At 2 o'clock literary exercises will be held in the Tabernacle, and in the evening a banquet will be served in the new dining-room of Hotel Green, on which occasion Gov. Markham and other distinguished speakers will respond to toasts. As previously announced, the celebration will be held December 21.

RELIGIOUS REVIVAL.
The evangelistic meetings conducted by George R. Cairns continue through this week. Monday evening the subject of "Hypocrites" was discussed. The announcement of such a subject naturally brought out a large gathering. The Baptist Church was taxed beyond its capacity. Every pew was filled, and as many extra seats as could be brought in. The speaker's introductory remarks brought out the genuine and the counterfeit in societies, professions and trades. He very forcibly demonstrated the absurdity of the notion that only the church has hypocrites, and showed very forcibly that there is more hypocrisy practiced outside of the church than within. His subject Tuesday evening was the "Paschal Lamb." Accommodations were made for the overflow in the lecture-room.

A MOUNTAIN FAIR EXHIBIT.
It is likely that the Executive Committee of the Southern California Midwinter Fair Commission will visit Pasadena this week to ascertain what this community proposes to do in the way of local exhibits. The subject has been here before, and unless prompt action is taken, Pasadena will be badly left at the San Francisco fair. This is an opportunity that the people cannot afford to neglect. An attractive display of Pasadena's charms and resources at the Midwinter Fair will prove a very valuable advertisement, and will attract thousands of visitors to this section of the State. The time for action is at hand and the people may be counted upon rising to the importance of the occasion.

THROOP UNIVERSITY TRUSTEES.
A meeting of the Board of Trustees of Throop Polytechnic Institute was held Monday afternoon. Hon. A. G. Throop presided.

J. Wadsworth was elected to a place on the board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. E. Scoville. C. E. Scoville was chosen to fill the place left vacant by the death of his father, J. W. Scoville.

Reports from various branches of the institution were received, all of which were of a most satisfactory character. Nearly 200 students are now attending the university.

ON A TERMINAL TRAIN.
First Tourist (pointing towards Hotel Green). What is that mammoth structure?

Second Tourist. That is the Whittier Reform School.

First Tourist. Why is it called the "Whittier" school?

Second Tourist. Why don't you know? It was named after the poet Whittier, who was the favorite author of the founder of the institution.

The point of the conversation is that it is reported verbatim. It goes to show how thoroughly misinformed some of our visitors are.

PASADENA BREVITIES.
"Hutchins" for fine candies.
"Hutchins" for ice cream.
Visitors continue to flock to town.

Increased activity is being manifested in the real estate market.

Col. G. Green has been suffering from a mild attack of the la grippe.

South Pasadena avenue is enjoying a building boom of its own nowadays.

The merchants, without exception, report trade brisk, and altogether satisfactory.

A regular meeting of the Shakespeare Club will be held Friday afternoon at the G. A. R. Hall.

Everybody who didn't go to the World's Fair is saving up money for the Midwinter Fair.

Miss Mamie Thompson has been appointed to a position in the Washington school building.

The project of paving South Raymond avenue is not dead. It is only enjoying a quiet nap.

Let everybody plan to contribute a generous quantity of flowers to the Tournament of Roses.

Councilman T. P. Lukens is steadily improving in health, and hopes to be out inside of a few days.

The terminal road is carrying a great many passengers between Pasadena and Los Angeles every day.

An interesting meeting of the Fortnightly Club was held Tuesday evening at the Universalist Church.

There isn't so much talk down in South Pasadena about the electric road as there was a few weeks ago.

Tuesday was cloudy and cooler. Everybody is hoping for rain, and the signs are that it will soon be forthcoming.

W. C. Stuart's palatial new residence, on South Orange Grove avenue, will be ready for occupancy about the middle of February.

Be charitable by purchasing your dry goods today at the Bon Accord.

One-tenth of the cash sales go to the Charity Organization Society.

Father Throop and the university that bears his name will be fittingly honored on the 21st. It will be a gala day in the history of Pasadena.

W. D. Medill, nephew of Hon. Joseph Medill, of the Chicago Tribune, returned to Pasadena from Chicago on Tuesday, to spend another winter.

Rev. W. B. Lucas's lecture on "Palatine" Monday evening, at the First

ORANGE COUNTY.

Young Bowers is Now a Fugitive from Justice.

His Case Called for Trial, but the Defendant Failed to Materialize—Story of Bruce, the Alleged Forger.

James W. Bowers, the festive young barber from Norwalk, is now conspicuous by his absence. Bowers is charged with breaking into Tom Drury's barber-shop, the city and stealing a quantity of razors, clippers, shears and other barbers' tools, to the value of about \$150. Upon his examination some weeks ago, on this charge, before Justice of the Peace Humphreys, he was held in answer to the Superior Court in the sum of \$1000 bonds. His trial was set for yesterday (Tuesday) but the young man did not show up. His father came down from Norwalk, and stated to the court that his son went to Los Angeles Monday, without his knowledge, since which time he has not been heard of. Mr. Bowers stated that he was away from his home Monday for a short time, and that, during his absence, the young man left on the north-bound train; that word was sent to him by the family, and that he went to Los Angeles on the evening train to look for him, but could not find him anywhere.

A warrant has been issued for his arrest, and officers notified accordingly. Young Bowers's bondsmen are: E. J. Justice of Westminster, J. L. Elliott of Los Angeles, and the young fellow's father, who is a resident of Norwalk.

The fact that the accused has now fled, is taken as conclusive evidence that he is guilty of the charges preferred against him. Upon inquiry and investigation, it was ascertained that the young man is a very dissolute character, and that he bears a hard name in and around Norwalk, where he has lived for a number of years.

ANOTHER FORGER RUN DOWN.
F. L. Bruce is the name of an old man 52 years of age, who was brought down from Los Angeles early yesterday (Tuesday) morning, by Marshal Nichols, to begin his trial. Bruce forged the name of T. E. Cleland, treasurer on the San Joaquin Ranch, to an order on the J. L. Gildmacher, this city, for \$27, which was presented, was paid in full. At that time Bruce gave the name of John H. Wood as his own name. The forgery was discovered by the marshal, and Bruce was taken into custody.

Another important meeting of the Throop Fruit Association will be held this evening (Wednesday).

Charles J. McGonigle, representing the Throop Manufacturing Company, which has extensive planing-mills at Slason, Cal., was in Tustin Monday interviewing the members of the fruit association with a view of furnishing them with orange boxes.

B. F. Maxon of El Monte and George T. Tustin were visiting friends in Tustin Monday.

G. W. Hubbard is home again, after an extended absence.

SAN BERNARDINO.

Meeting of the San Diego District M. E. Conference.

Death of a Well-known Citizen—The Old Trouble With Orange-growers Again Cropping Out.

The San Diego District Methodist Episcopal Church Conference met in this city on Monday and Tuesday, at which Rev. E. S. Chase, presiding elder of the district, presided. The conference was opened with devotional service, conducted by Rev. E. Hoskyn of Highland and East Riverside, after which Presiding Elder Chase reported upon the condition of the district, which, he said, was much better, both spiritually and materially, than at any time during the past five years.

Rev. A. Raney of Arlington then read an excellent paper upon "Paul's Letter to Timothy." Rev. J. B. Green followed with a paper upon "How and Where to Take Revival Meetings," which elicited considerable discussion.

The next paper was on the topic "What Kind of Christian Testimony is Helpful?" by Rev. T. W. Lincoln of South Riverside, and by the discussion it is evident that all are not wholly agreed upon this question.

The Relations of Benevolence to Spirituality, Life was the subject of Rev. J. C. Gowan's paper.

The sermon on Monday evening was delivered by Rev. E. O. McIntyre of Santa Ana, who was a most helpful and timely sermon.

The church was very good. The Tuesday morning service was opened with devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. J. C. Healy of Rialto, followed by a paper by Rev. W. A. Wright of Riverside, "Does Our System Encourage Inefficiency in the Ministry?"

He said that, though there are points which should be carefully considered, the system of a rule do so. He advocated the renewal of the five-year time limit in the itinerancy.

Rev. Alfred Inwood spoke upon "Should the Forward Class Have the Same Lesson as the Rest of the School?" which was discussed at length.

PROMINENT CITIZEN PASSED AWAY.
Col. W. R. Tolles, for twenty years a resident of San Bernardino, and one of the most prominent citizens of the place, died on Monday, after an illness of several months, leaving a widow and several children.

He was born at Watertown, N. Y., April 10, 1823, and removed to the South when a young man. When the civil war broke out he removed to Burton, O., and entered with the first volunteer regiment, and became active in public works, being for years president of the Board of Trade.

He built the first house in Laguna, now a part of Redlands, and was a member of the Executive Committee, and his services there were the last of a public nature performed by him. A large funeral service was held here on Tuesday, and the remains sent to his home in Ohio.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.
The Unitarians will hold a bazaar at Unity Hall on Thursday and Friday next.

The Buckeye Club was entertained on Monday evening by Mrs. Bachelor, at Court and D streets.

The trial of O. Sheldon, for selling liquor without a license, at Red Springs, has been transferred from Highland to Redlands.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this evening at the Court-house, roses were decided upon for the permanent location.

REDLANDS.
Rev. J. F. Culver of Pasadena, who has been prominent in Y. M. C. A. work in Southern California, suggested that the new building of the association be erected on the site of the old one, a plunge bath. Prof. Andrews thought the suggestion a good one, and by inquiring, has found it is favored by the members.

It is probable that the large gymnasium will be made somewhat smaller to make room for a plunge bath about 400 feet in area, and an arrangement is greatly needed in this city, there being no plunge or swimming pool in Redlands.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.
Rev. J. F. Hamilton is on the sick list.

Born to V. P. Hustin and wife, a nine-pound son.

Born, December 10, to Virgil Cooper and wife, a son, weight, 9 1/2 pounds.

Has W. J. Healy, of Fulton county, N. Y., is in the city, visiting Henry W. Pitt.

The call extended by Trinity Episcopal Church to Rev. Dr. Easter, to become rector, has been declined.

Mrs. Benton is expected today from New Haven, to spend the winter with A. Humphrey, of Eureka street.

The engagement is announced of Mr. George Elgin and Miss Hattie Elgin. The wedding will not occur until next month.

A carload of honey and another of peaches and raisins were shipped to St. Louis by A. Gregory last week, and a carload of oranges north.

After being for eighteen years without seeing each other, Miss Neva Raymond has come from San Francisco to visit her sister, Mrs. T. W. Johnson of Redlands.

The new county bridge over the San Mateo Creek has been completed. It is constructed of concrete and carries four times the volume of water to flow under it that could pass beneath the one washed away.

Some of the citizens of Redlands have been complaining of hard times, but the fact that Redlands has paid a larger percentage of its county taxes than any other locality in the county, would indicate that this region is in better condition, financially, than many others.

The old difficulty with which orange-growers all over this part of the State have had to contend is again cropping out here—that of contention and strife, dissension and distrust among themselves, where there should be a strongest union in order to present a solid front to receive the common foe.

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CITY BRIEFS

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

The Weather.
U. S. Weather Bureau, Los Angeles,
Dec. 12, 1893.—At 5 o'clock a. m. the barom-
eter registered 30.11; at 3 p. m. 30.11.
Thermometer for the corresponding hours
showed 49 deg. and 54 deg. Maximum
temperature, 58 deg.; minimum, tempera-
ture, 48 deg. Character of weather,
cloudy.
Barometer reduced to sea level.

Daily Bulletin.
United States Department of Agricul-
ture Weather Bureau. Reports received
at Los Angeles, Cal., on December 12, 1893.
Observations taken at all points at 8
p. m., seventy-fifth meridian time.

PLACE OF OBSERVATION.

Place of Observation.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Wind.	Clouds.
Los Angeles, cloudy	30.11	54	0	0
San Diego, cloudy	30.12	54	0	0
Fresno, cloudy	30.00	52	0	0
Seattle, partly cloudy	30.00	52	0	0
San Francisco, cloudy	30.04	52	0	0
Sacramento, cloudy	30.02	52	0	0
Red Bluff, cloudy	30.02	52	0	0
Eureka, cloudy	30.02	44	0	0
Honolulu, cloudy	30.02	44	0	0
Portland, cloudy	29.90	42	0	0

The production of Handel's "Messiah" at Simpson Tabernacle, Friday evening, December 22, promises to be a very important musical event. The Los Angeles Oratorio Society, under the direction of F. A. Bacon, have determined to present this beautiful and soul-inspiring work in the most complete and attractive manner, and on a scale of magnificence never before attempted on the Coast. The chorus of 120 voices has been selected from the best vocalists in the city, and is unsurpassed. The orchestral accompaniment of twenty-five pieces will be a special feature, consisting of the choicest talent to be procured in Southern California. The soprano soloist for the occasion is Miss Grace Millmore, whose sweet voice never fails to captivate. Miss Jeannette J. Wilcox of Boston, contralto, and Joseph Ruby, basso, are pronounced favorites in Los Angeles, and always heartily welcomed. W. B. Chamberlain of Oberlin College, Ohio, an artist of national reputation, comes to Los Angeles to sing the tenor solos. He is said to have the best tenor voice in America for oratorio work. The inquiry for tickets has been simply unprecedented, and the society will therefore place the plat at Brown's Music Store, No. 111 North Spring street, Friday, December 15, at 9 a. m., so every one can have an opportunity to make reservations. Simpson Tabernacle will be beautifully decorated and illuminated for the occasion, and no doubt it will be filled to overflowing by the best citizens of Los Angeles, who will thus encourage the society in their efforts to raise high the standard of local musical entertainments.

Messrs. A. C. Billie & Co., of the Hollenbeck, are sending out by mail large quantities of reading matter, descriptive of Southern California. In response to this, replies are being received from unexpected places. Among the letters received yesterday, was one from Dr. Augustus Bosco of Rome, Italy, and another from the same city, signed by name as Massimiliano Thomas, an engineer of Catanzaro, Italy. Both of these correspondents ask for time tables and reading matter descriptive of this region.

Tomorrow will inaugurate another through second-class sleeping-car to Chicago, over the Southern Pacific, via El Paso, the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern through St. Louis, and then to Chicago over the Chicago and Alton. The other car runs via the Southern Pacific Company and El Paso, and the Rock Island from Fort Worth, via Kansas City.

The Los Angeles Savings Bank here-with gives notice that it is prepared to pay on demand all deposits who have given notice to withdraw their funds and which notices expire during the months of November and December, 1893.

J. F. Sartori, cashier.
Ladies, fine millinery, very latest, light expenses; make low figures; pleasant parlors; best attention. See trimmed hats, cast window; very stylish, low priced. Black and white satins, plenty of them, 50 cents. Mrs. F. W. Thurston, No. 116 Commercial.

The Southern California Railway are now making cheap excursion rates to San Diego, Coronado, Escondido, and around the Kite-shaped track. Get descriptive pamphlets and full particulars at city ticket office, No. 129 North Spring street.

Contagious diseases being at present prevalent, it is the duty of all to get their system and blood in perfect order, and Bellan's La Grippe Cure is truly the cheapest, because it is the best, safest and most effective medicine known.

For all the late and things in Christmas goods, call on Salsburg, Vail & Co., No. 133 South Spring street. Their stock is complete in framed pictures, photo frames, silver goods, toilet and traveling sets and a large assortment of novelties.

Heating of houses, churches and halls with hot-air furnaces, especially adapted to this climate, by F. E. Browne, No. 314 South Spring street. Send for circulars.

For a useful Christmas present, buy one of Whitney's trunks or traveling bags. Factory, No. 341 North Main street. Lists and dealers everywhere, 5c a box.

The finest photographs in the city at greatly reduced prices. Cabinets 75 cents per dozen, for a short time only. Lamson's studio, 313 South Spring street.

Toys, best goods, lowest prices, fullest assortment, at Helman, Waldeck & Co's., No. 220 North Spring street and Nos. 209, 215 and 217 North Main street.

Helman, Waldeck & Co. show the finest line of Christmas cards and novelties, photograph albums and toilet cases. Enamel-tin cabinets, \$1 per dozen. We maintain our reputation for fine work. Bijou Studio, No. 221 South Spring.

For coughs and colds, use Dr. Brown's Peerless Cough Drops. Sold by all druggists and dealers at 5 cents a box.

The Dewey Gallery leads. One dollar per dozen—\$1—for the best cabinets, new better. No. 147 South Main street.

A prominent feature in "Columbia" will be Uncle Sam and Columbia protecting Justice with the American flag.

Ladies' children's, infants' furnishing goods, fancy goods, notions, New York Bazar.

List your property for sale or exchange with Charles Victor Hall, Stimson Block. Full-length cabinet photographs, 75c per dozen. Sunbeam, No. 225 South Main. Mantels, glass, office fittings, hardwood lumber, H. Bohrmann, 514 S. Spring st. New ladies' wrappers and gents' smoking jackets at Kan-Koo, 110 S. Spring st. Dolls, dolls. Buy your dolls at the New York Bazar, No. 148 North Spring.

Martin's Camp, Wilson's Peak, will be open all winter.
Dr. W. C. Brown, removed to Stimson Block.
Dr. Burnett, removed to Stimson Block.
Electric heater, C. T. Paul's, 130 S. Main.
Dr. Bennett, removed to Downey Block.
Big bargains at Campbell's. See add.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

called for this morning, at the First Congregational Church, at 10 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. V. E. Drake and C. S. Bennett.

The Fire Commission will meet at the Mayor's office, this morning. It is expected that, if the full board be present, the matter of the bids for furnishing fire-arm apparatus will be considered.

The work of cleaning out the internal sewer system is progressing. Fire engine No. 2 was used yesterday on the Jefferson-street sewer, near Grand avenue. Water was pumped in at one manhole, and the sand was gradually washed through. The water was run into section No. 1 of the outfall sewer, and from that onto some land outside the city limits.

It is expected the chain-gang will be put to work, today, on the First-street hill. At the adjourned meeting of the City Council, held yesterday afternoon, Councilman Munson said that the Street Superintendent had stated to him that, the injunction against the grading having been modified, he intended to have the working city prisoners proceed with cutting down the hill.

A very commendatory letter of Supt. Wiggins's work at the World's Fair has just been received from a New York correspondent, Du Bois Knight. He says that Mr. Wiggins "did more to promote his charge than any other manager or number of managers in the whole exhibition," and that this is not the remark of a mere casual observer, who was there for a few days, but of one who studied the exhibit for three months.

PERSONALS.

George J. Hopkins and Mrs. W. P. Rathbone, both of Parkersburg, Me., are at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Louise Johnson and Miss Jennie Johnson, both of Stockholm, Sweden, are registered at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Edward Noble and Miss Florida Noble, both of San Francisco, are among recent arrivals at the Nadeau.

Mrs. W. S. Spencer, with her parents, Prof. and Mrs. Carleton, will arrive Thursday morning, via the Santa Fe route, from St. Paul, Minn.

Declared Not Guilty.

On Friday last the case of People vs. Simon Maier was tried in Justice Seaman's court. Maier was charged with having offered for sale fresh deer meat while the game law in this State was in force forbidding the killing of deer or the use of their flesh for commercial or other purposes.

Maier's attorney proved that the meat in question had been imported from Texas where no prohibitory law is in force, but even under this statement of the case the District Attorney contended that the dealer was liable to prosecution. This course was argued at considerable length and submitted to the court who took it under advisement until yesterday when an order was made finding the defendant not guilty.



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We give you the best the market affords, in quality, style, cut and material.

We give you 100 cents' worth for every dollar. Come and see us. We'll be glad to talk to you and show you over our stock. It is worth seeing whether you wish to buy at present or not. You'll learn something about the style of clothes that can be purchased in Los Angeles at any rate.

Gordan Bros.,

118 Spring street.

Opposite Nadeau Hotel.

"SPREADING FAST."
Demand for high-crown sailors' nobblest shape in hatters' plush and felt, 75 cents and up, at the Modern Millinery store, Hoffman & Co., No. 340 South Spring street.

BOOKKEEPERS and others of sedentary habits cure constipation with Simmons Liver Regulator.

DANDRUFF is a disease of the scalp. Van Haren's Quinine Hair Tonic cures it.

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Wednesday, Dec. 13, 1893

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Tonight the first Patriarchs' Ball of the season takes place in New York city. The only Ward McAllister is the guiding genius of the affair, and Whitelaw Reid and J. Hooker Hamersley have been appointed to fill the vacancies left by Chas. H. Berryman and Smith Clift.

Forty-eight well-known Gothamites comprise the list of Patriarchs, and this ball is one of the great social events of America. Kan-Koo is in a position to help you out on any social event. We can furnish you with an engraved invitation card, or menu list in twenty-four hours. We carry the most complete line of society stationery in the city. Also Tally Cards, Programs, etc.; a well-selected line of Purses, Cardcases, etc. We attend to shipping and pack free of charge. **KAN-KOO**, 110 South Spring street, opposite The Nadeau.

CAMPBELL'S Christmas Presents

Our discount sale has proved a big success. People are taking advantage of our low prices.

And we will continue to give.

20 Per Cent Reduction
On all Holiday Goods. Largest line of Indian, Mexican and California Souvenirs in the city. Opals, Spoons and Filigree Jewelry.

Campbell's Curio Store,
325 S. Spring Street.

For the Holidays

Pacific Optical Company,
S. G. MARSHUTZ, Prop.,
157 NORTH SPRING STREET, OPPOSITE
OLD COURTHOUSE. Don't forget the number.

Mosgroves' Dressmaking.

This department is under the management of the most experienced and thorough cutter and tailor in this coast. Tourists can have suits made in one day, and be assured of satisfaction. Mourners' orders given special attention. Suits made from ladies' own materials. Prices as low as any first-class custom.

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ART DEPARTMENT

In the Household—Artistic bisque, China, Porcelain, copies of Bonn, Worcester, Sevres, French, Austrian and English ware. Walk through.

BOUND BOOKS

Are in the center of the store fronting the Millinery Department. Closing them out at fifty cents on the dollar.

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At the Left of Main Entrance—Complete lines from 10c to \$25.00.

Our stock throughout the house in every department is more complete, of a better character, and at a lower price than at any time since we've been in business.

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For the holidays we have a very fine line of Novelties. Photograph Albums in a great variety of styles; prices from 75c up to \$9. Plush and Celluloid Toilet and Manicure Cases. Celluloid Novelties, one of the latest things for holiday gifts. Scrap Albums, 20c, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Handkerchiefs

In every style and quality suitable for the holiday trade; silk, linen, Swiss embroidered. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Initial Handkerchiefs, linen and silk. An immense assortment of

DOLLS

Dressed and undressed, at lower prices than ever before.

As leaders for our holiday trade we are selling:

CREAM CHINA SILK--- 25c

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24-inch SILK PLUSH--- 75c

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LADIES' SWISS EMB'D HDKFS--- 12½c

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JAPANESE SILK HDKFS--- 12½c

Embroidered; worth 25c, at.....

KID BODY DOLLS--- 15 inches long,

Bisque head, shoes and stockings, worth

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\$150 SAFETY!

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